

## **FISCAL NOTE**

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: March 20, 1995

SUBJECT: **SB 407 - HB 687**

This bill, if enacted, will require the State Board of Education to conduct, or cause to be conducted, a study of possible alternatives to value-added assessment measures as a means of evaluating academic performance accountability for students in Tennessee.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be an increase in state expenditures of approximately \$47,000. This estimate is based on the cost of hiring a consultant to study the TVAAS system and such alternatives to that method.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director